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HONGKONG, MONDAY, MAY 22ND, 1882.

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號一十二月五英港香

[PRICE \$2 PER MONTH.]

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

May 20, ALVA, Portuguese bark, 632, E. de Souza, Singapore 24th April, Timber, BRANCO & Co.
May 20, JASON, British steamer, 1,411, R. J. Brown, Swatow 15th May, Tea and General, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
May 20, CHONG-CHU, Chinese gunboat, from Canton.
May 20, CLEOPATRA, British corvette, Captain Vidal, Singapore 8th May.
May 20, DATE, British steamer, 644, P. H. Hoff, Bangkok 13th May, Rice and General, TYER & HONG.
May 20, WORTHER, American bark, 470, S. W. Nickerson, Singapore 28th April, Timber, CHONG.
May 21, PRIMO, French steamer, 2,074, Champenois, Marseilles 16th April, Naples 18th, Port Said 22nd, Suez 28th, Aden 1st May, Galle 8th, Colombo 9th, Singapore 17th, and Saigon 18th, Mails and General, MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
May 21, VORWARR, German steamer, 611, Boyson, Pakhoi 18th May, General, WIELERS & Co.

DEPARTURES.

May 19, ATHOLL, British str., for Swatow.
May 19, EMERALDA, British steamer, for Manila.
May 20, HERMINE, Swedish bk., for Toulon.
May 20, CHONG-CHU, Chinese gunboat, for Swatow.
May 20, VORWARR, British steamer, for Melbourne.
May 20, LORNS, British steamer, for Amoy.
May 20, CHINKIAN, British steamer, for Shanghai.
May 20, DEXAMER, British steamer, for Amoy.
May 20, NEMO, British steamer, for Shanghai.
May 21, MINERVA, German brig, for Whampoa.
May 21, YOTUNG, British steamer, for Swatow.
May 21, PENNOC, British steamer, for Saigon.
May 21, PANGLOSS, German steamer, for Vladivostok.
May 21, KVALENG, British steamer, for East Coast.

PASSENGERS.

Per Jason, str., from Swatow—Capt. Brown, Messrs. Lamb, Dorrin, Wright, and 407 Chinese.
Per Dole, str., from Bangkok—Rev. Mr. McClelland, one European and 100 Chinese, deck.
Per Pello, str., from Marseilles—For Hongkong—Messrs. Howie, Head, Messrs. Chantant, Nelson, F. G. Nelson, Kelly, and Dech.
Per Shanghai, str., from Hongkong—Mr. and Mrs. Flanagan, and two servants, Mr. Gilman, and two servants, Messrs. Smith, Verhaeghe, and Nieuwenhout.
Per Yokohama, str., from Yokohama—Messrs. Nieuwenhout, Matsudaira, and Tanaka.
Per Singapore, str., from Singapore—The Ashes, from Saigon—30 Chinese.
Per Vortigern, str., from Australia—73 Chinese.
Per Sumatra, str., from Singapore and Bombay—Major W. G. Morris.
Per Emerald, str., for Manila—Messrs. A. M. de Villar, Montilla, B. Segura, Marshall, and Chinese; Signors Lubini, Sillini, Pinelli, and Berthel; Signors Vassetti, Cicchi, Felisio, Cateo, and Brunetti.
Per Kwangtung, str., for Swatow—Two Europeans and 200 Chinese.
Per Diamond, str., for Amoy—50 Chinese.
Per Chinkian, str., for Shanghai—One European and 70 Chinese.
Per Prinz Wilhelm, str., for Vladivostok—Four Europeans and 8 Chinese.
Per Pendo, str., from Saigon—200 Chinese.
Per Yotung, str., for Swatow—120 Chinese.
Per Lorne, str., for Amoy—8 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The Portuguese bark Alva reports left Singapore on 24th April, and left South Wales. The British steamer Jason reports left Swatow on the 19th May at 5 p.m., and experienced moderate S.W. winds and showery weather. Arrived at 9.30 a.m. 20th May.

AMOI SHIPPING.

May—
13, Wanchow, British str., from Swatow.
13, Kwangtung, British str., from Swatow.
13, Hektor, British str., from Hongkong.
13, Carl Wilhelm, Danish bark, from Saigon.
14, Miranor, British str., from Shanghai.
14, Albat, British str., from Hongkong.
May—
13, Oscar Meyer, German bark, for Nagasaki.
13, Hermann, German bark, for Sendai.
13, Chin-hai, Chinese gunboat, for a cruise.
13, Hektor, British str., for Shanghai.
13, Plamuelor, British str., for Hongkong.
13, Kwangtung, British str., for Swatow.
13, Wanchow, British str., for Shanghai.
14, Rilda Maria, German bark, for Chiofo.
15, Albat, British str., for Taiwanfo.
16, Eden, British bark, for Chiofo.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. M. GUEDES.
Valuable Property.
At 3 p.m.
FOR SALE.
THE PROPERTY OF SHAMEN with commodious DWELLING, GODOWN, and OUTHOUSES, situate in the occupation of the Undersigned.
For Particulars, apply to
SIMPSON & Co.
Canton, 10th May, 1882. [997]
WILLIAM DOLAN.
SAIL-MAKER & SUIP-CHANDLER.
22, PRINCE STREET.
COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANYAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, COCK JACKETS, &c.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1882. [998]

BANKS.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).
PAID-UP CAPITAL..... £1,500,000.
RESERVE FUND..... £1,500,000.
RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED
ON DEPOSITS.
At 6 Months Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum.
At 12 Months Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum.
Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.
GEO. O. SCOTT,
Manager.
Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. [11]

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL..... £5,000,000 of Dollars.
RESERVE FUND..... £2,100,000 of Dollars.
GEO. O. SCOTT,
Manager.
Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. [11]

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.
Incorporated 7th and 13th March, 1848.
Recognized by the International Convention of 30th April, 1882.
CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP..... £3,200,000.
RESERVE FUND..... £200,000.
HEAD OFFICE—14, RUE DE LA PAIX, PARIS.
AGENCIES AND BRANCHES AT:
LONDON, BOMBAY, SAN FRANCISCO, MARRILLAS, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, MANILA, YOKOHAMA, NANTING, MELBOURNE, FOCHOW, BOURBON, SYDNEY, YOKOHAMA.
LONDON BANKERS:
THE BANK OF ENGLAND,
THE UNION BANK OF LONDON,
Messrs. C. J. HAMRO & SON.
The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the world, and transmits every description of Banking Exchange Business.
F. COCHINARD,
Agent, Hongkong.
9th February, 1882. [118]

LANE CRAWFORD & CO.
HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING:
GOODS FOR SUMMER WEAR,
In the most recent styles and patterns—
EILWOOD'S AND INDIA SUN HATS.
SCARVES AND TIES, of lightest Silk.
SWIMMING DRESSES AND DRAWERS.
The Newest and Lightest SOCKS.
SUMMER BRACES.
CHRISTY'S ZEPHYR HATS.
STRAW HATS, in many Shapes.
LANE CRAWFORD & CO.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1882. [123]

NOTICE is hereby given that all DOCUMENTARY BILLS delivered to the Undersigned, on or after 1st July, 1882, the rate of Discount, not exceeding Five per Cent per month, will be allowed to the Drawers or Acceptors, on relating the Bills before maturity, will be as follows—
At One-Half per Cent per annum above the advertised rate of Interest for short deposits allowed by the leading London Joint Stock Banks, if the bills are taken up in Great Britain.
At the Current Minimum rate of Discount of the National Bank of France, Italy, Belgium and Germany, respectively, if taken up in either of those Countries.
At the Current rate of rebate for Documentary Bills, if taken up in Switzerland or the United States.
At the Current rate of rebate allowed by the Exchange Banks, if taken up at any place East of Suez.
For the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, A. WEMISS, Manager.
For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA, JOHN THURBURN, Manager.
For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRIA, AND CHINA, WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.
For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, pro Chief Manager.
For the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, F. COCHINARD, Agent.
Hongkong, 6th May, 1882. [181]

THE Undersigned are now prepared to Execute Orders for LEATHER, BELTING, &c., and to Supply Army and Navy Contractors, and Exporters on terms to be learned on application.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,
Sole Agents,
Shanghai, 11th April, 1882. [179]

AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
OF
VALUABLE PROPERTY
situate in Queen's Road West.
THIS DAY,
the 22nd of May, 1882, at 3 p.m., on the Premises.
All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND, situate in the Land Office as Section B of Marine Lot 105, with the 4 SUBSTANTIAL BUILT SHOPS in Queen's Road West, Nos. 273, 275, 277, and 279. Yearly Crown Rent \$30.
For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to
J. M. GUEDES,
Auctioneer,
33, Wellington Street,
Hongkong, 18th May, 1882. [194]

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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "PEIHO."
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
NOTICE.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship "INDUS," from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godown, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after unloading.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 12.30 A.M. TO-DAY, requesting it to be landed.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.
Goods remaining unclaimed after SATURDAY, the 27th of May, noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, 22nd May, 1882. [918]

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX C.S. CO'S S.S. "NESTOR," FROM LIVERPOOL.
SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 25th inst., for shipment per steamer "NESTOR," BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, 19th May, 1882. [918]

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "NESTOR," from London, are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will be at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 19th May, 1882.
Goods undelivered after the 25th May, 1882, will be subject to Rent.
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
FROM HAMBURG.
THE Steamer "PRINZ WILHELM," Captain Brönner, having arrived from the above Port, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence they may be delivered to the Wharves or Roads delivery may be obtained.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the 19th inst. will be subject to rent and landing charges.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will

MAILS EXPECTED

THE AMERICAN MAILS.

The O. and O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Belgit*, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the 10th ult., and may be expected here on or about the 22nd inst.

The O. and O. steamer *Gadix*, with the succeeding American mail, left San Francisco on the 2nd May, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 1st June.

The F. M. steamer *City of Peking*, with the following American mail, left San Francisco on the 18th May, and may be expected here about the 14th June.

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The *P.* and *O.* steamer *Brindisi*, with tonnage English mail, left Singapore at 9 a.m. on the 19th, and may be expected here on the 24th instant.

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The steamer *Kenniro Castle* left Singapore on the 16th, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 22nd instant.

The *E.* and *A. S. S. Co.'s* steamer *Neaume* from Sydney, may be expected here on the 22nd instant.

The steamer *Mirador Castle* left Singapore on the 20th, and will arrive here on or before the 26th instant.

The *Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's* steamer *Hell* left Singapore on the 20th, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 27th inst.

The *O. S. S. Co.'s* steamer *Mentaul* left Singapore on the afternoon of the 20th, and may be expected here on the 27th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorized List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in one Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

A MAIL VESSEL CLOSE

For Port Darwin, Cooktown, Keppel, Her Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne, &c.—*Per Cranford*, to-day, the 22nd inst, at 3.30 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Fouchow,—*Per Thales*, on Wednesday, the 24th inst, at 11 A.M.

For Fouchow,—*Per Kilikary*, on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 11.30 A.M.

For Hongkong, Canton, and Shanghai, &c.—*Per*

For Manila.—*Per Romeo*, on Thursday, the 25th inst., at 3.30 P.M.
 For Nagasaki and Kobe.—*Per Niigata Maru*, on Friday, the 26th inst., at 3.30 P.M.
 For Nagasaki and Yokohama.—*Per Zamboanga*, on Saturday, the 27th inst., at 11.30 A.M.

His Excellency the Administrator has been pleased to approve of the following Hours for closing the English Mails till further notice, on the days mentioned below :—

Thursday, May	25th.
Do. June	8th. &
Do. "	22nd.

Do. " " 6th.
Do. " " 24th.
Do. Aug. " 30th.
Do. " " 17th.
Do. " " 31st.

3.00 P.M.—Money Order Office closes.
4.00 P.M.—Receipts of Letters sent to Post Office
closing of all printed matter and patterns on board
5.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters.
5.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee
of 10 cents until
5.30 P.M.—Receipts of the Post Office closed and no
6.00 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board
the packet with late fee of 10 cents, and
newspapers without late fee, until 9.30 P.M.
afterwards any supplementary mail will be
closed. Circulars may be returned to the
Post Office.
After 9.30 P.M. Letters may be placed in the
Letter Box for treatment at Singapore.

The Postal Guide published in 1879 being now
somewhat out of date, a revised issue is printed
in the *Chronicle and Directory* for 1892, which
supersedes all previous editions.

MAILS BY THE U. S. PACKET.
The United States Mail Packet "CITY OF
TOKYO," will be despatched on WEDNES-
DAY, the 24th inst., with Mails for Japan, Sa-
pan, France, the United States, Canada, Honolulu,
Panama, &c., which will be closed as follows—
2.30 P.M.—Post Office closes, but Correspondence
may be posted on board the Packet with Late
Fee of 10 cents extra. Postage until the time
of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.
The Mails for British Colonies, Pacific

YERONA" will be closed on THURSDAY the 25th instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe *via Brindisi*: to the Straits Settlements, *et cetera*, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australasian Colonies.

To provide means of remitting small sums of money to or from this Colony and between the Ports of China, the Postmasters and Agents of this Office are allowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong Postage Stamps from

foreign residents.

The Stamps tendered for sale must not exceed \$50 in value, must be perfectly clean, unrecut corners, and in strips of at least two. No separate Stamps will be purchased. The stamps must be presented personally or accompanied by a note.

Letters containing Stamps should be registered, and the Stamps should be secured from observation.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

Letters, per 1 oz.	10 Cent
Post Cards, each	3 Cent
Books, Patterns, and Commercial Papers, per 2 oz.	2 Cent
Newspapers & Prices Current, each	2 Cent
Registration	10 Cent

Commercial papers signify such papers as checks or promissory notes, or other things written by hand, do not bear the charge of postage, and are paid for as such, as invoices, deeds, oaths, nuptial, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of any value under 4 os. weight are charged 5 Cents.

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING SHIP.

When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship, which is not fitted for carrying a mail, it is only necessary to send the letters to the collector of the port, with the name of the ship, and propail 10 cents per half ounce as usual. The Post Office then undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and destination, and forwarding the letters by the first opportunity. It is requested that the letters be forwarded as much as last one day before the date fixed for sailing.

LOCAL AND INDIAN PAPER POST.

Small Parcel may be sent by Post at Borneo, Java, and Sumatra, and at the British Colonies in India, and at the British Post Offices in China, as well as Japan, Amoy, Peking, the Straits Settlements, and

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